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EXAMINING GROUP 2616**

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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: METHODS AND DEVICES FOR CREATING AN ALTERNATE PATH FOR A BI-DIRECTIONAL LSP
Docket No.: 129250-001018/US

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE
PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated January 25, 2008 of the Supervisory Patent Examiner's final rejection of claims 1-25.

- The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
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Applicants hereby petition for an extension of _____ (_____) month(s) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a).

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

- NO extensions of time have been previously obtained for responding to the Final Rejection. Thus a fee of \$.00 is required for the full period of the above-requested extension of time.
- An extension of _____ () month(s) for responding to the Final Rejection was previously requested and paid for on _____. Thus a fee of \$_____ is required.
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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Respectfully submitted,

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